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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
John C. Reed)
Serial No: 09/388,221)
Filed: September 1, 1999)
For: NOVEL CARD PROTEINS)
INVOLVED IN CELL DEATH)
REGULATION)

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Supplemental to the Response mailed August 29, 2001,
which was responsive to the Office Action mailed March 2, 2001,
entry of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully
requested.

AMENDMENTS

In the specification.

On page 5 and 6, please delete the paragraph starting
at page 5, line 29 and insert therefor:

Figure 1C shows the cDNA and amino acid sequence of the longest
NAC isoform (also set forth in SEQ ID NOS:1 and 2). The
nucleotide sequences of the two alternatively spliced exons
(nucleotides 2870-2959 , and 3784-3915, respectively, and amino

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